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INSURANCE STATEMENT.

LONG BROS.' Fire Insurance Agency, 76 WEST THIRD STREET.

STATE OF OHIO, INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.
COLUMBUS, January 29, 1877.

WHEREAS, THE GERMAN AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, located at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, has filed in this office a sworn statement, by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition and business, and has complied in all respects with the laws of this State relating to Fire Insurance Companies, incorporated by other States of the United States:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of law, I, WILLIAM D. HILL, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that said Company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of Fire Insurance in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said Company at the date of such statement (December 31, 1876), is shown as follows:

Aggregate amount of available Assets.....	\$145,525 74
Aggregate amount of Liabilities (except capital), including reinsurance.....	32,353 17
Net Assets.....	\$113,172 55
Amount of actual paid-up Capital.....	100,000 00
Surplus.....	\$13,172 55
Amount of Income for the year in cash.....	55,470 77
Amount of Expenditures for the year in cash.....	\$60,922 40

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused the Seal of my office to be affixed the day and year above written.

(SEAL.) WM. D. HILL, Superintendent.

We also represent the following Companies with aggregate assets of over \$4,000,000.

LORILLARD, New York.....	Assets \$481,423 82
BOSTON UNDERWRITERS.....	" 1,950,000 00
NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL, Milwaukee.....	" 885,481 34
LANCASTER, Lancaster, Pa.....	" 362,697 67
REVERE, Boston.....	" 229,607 65

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Two performances To-day. The greatest success of the season.

Berger Family and Sol. Smith Russell Combination.

This afternoon, at 2 o'clock, admission 25c and 50c; This Evening, at 8 o'clock, in the most elegant entertainment ever given in the city.

Monday, February 12—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. FLORENCE in the SLIGHTLY DOLLAR. Seats now ready at Hawley's.

WOOD'S THEATER.

CALENDER'S FAMOUS GEORGIA MINSTRELS every evening during this week, and Wednesday and Saturday matinees. Admission 25c to 50c.

Next week—CHARLOTTE THOMPSON as MISS MULLEN.

GRAND ENGLISH OPERA.—ROBINSON'S Opera-house, Wednesday Evening, February 7, Wallace's dramatic Opera of MARITANA. Maritana, Miss Lillie Stevens; Lazzarillo, Miss Valentine De Peigron; Don Cesar, Mr. J. McLaughlin; Don Jose, Mr. Charles J. Coleman; King, Mr. Hannan Morgan; Captain, Mr. Chapman Johnson; Marquis, Mr. George A. Fitch; Marchioness, Miss Lillie Stevens; Alcide, Mr. Ben. E. Hall; soldiers, citizens, etc., etc., etc., Musical Director, Admission, 10c. Admission, with reserved seats, 15c. Gallery, 5c.

Reserved seats for the Opera of Maritana, can be had at F. W. HILMICK'S Music Store, 30 West Fourth street.

PREFERRED SPECIALS.

CLOTHES WRINGERS, and step ladders for sale and repaired. F. TETTERHOEN, 219 W. Fifth st. 145-tr-W-5&M

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—LATHES—Sinks and ax-handle lathes, in complete order, with two iron trucks. L. E. FORTER, 38 East Second street.

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FOR SALE—HOUSES—125 West Seventh st.; handsome house, ten rooms, all the modern improvements; long yearly payments to suit purchaser. 6-3t

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FOR SALE—HOUSES—205 and 207 W. Fifth street, corner of Home; lot 45 by 80; great bargain ever offered in this property; must be sold; make an offer. 1-6t

FOR SALE OR RENT—HOTEL.

FOR SALE OR RENT—HOTEL—The Eden House, Danville, Illinois; the best of the house in the town. Apply to WILLIAM BARNER, Danville, Illinois. 1-6t

FLOUR.

Families or groceries in want of good flour—warranted to give satisfaction—can be supplied by going to the WEST-END MILLS. Four orders are solicited. Delivery free. JAMES K. HURIN, Sixth street, between Baymiller and Freeman. 461-3m

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—TO INVEST—Services and \$1,000 in a live, paying business. Address EXPERIENCE, care Arthur Sandford, Parkersburg, West Virginia. 2-6t

WANTED—BUY YOUR HATS OF MARTIN.

WANTED—HOME—in the country, by a good, stout, boy of 16, understanding the care of horses, &c. Call on or address WILLIE ROWE, 32 Goodale street. 2-6t

WANTED—HORSES TO BOARD.

WANTED—HORSES TO BOARD—For the winter in the country. Terms cheap. For information apply to O. L. STALL, at Snook & McKinnon's stable, southwest corner of Fifth and Spruance. 401-11

WANTED—PARTNER.

WANTED—PARTNER—Or will sell entire business; trade large and well established; town best in Kentucky; mixed stock, dry goods, clothing, shoes, &c.; in good order; will make amount of inventory to suit purchaser; none but a first-class man and one with money need apply; a rare opportunity if you mean business and would make the trade of your life. Address, for further particulars, BAKER, 75 West Fourth street, City. 7-4t

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—SITUATION—By a young girl as nurse, or light housework. Call at 38 face street. 6-3t

WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—SITUATION—By a German girl for housework with reference, city or country. Call at 255 Court street. 6-3t

WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—SITUATION—As baker, competent to take charge; good references. Address Box 721, Lima, O. 2-3t

WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—SITUATION—By a girl to do general housework, or up stairs work, washing and ironing. Call at 188 East street. 6-4t

WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—SITUATION—After March 1, by a first-class cutter; no objection to any town. Address H. C. P. Enquirer office. 6-5t

WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—SITUATION—By an experienced drug clerk; references first-class; would loan employer \$1,000. Address SAN-TONINE, Box 196, Portland, Indiana. 6-1t

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—Four rooms, second floor, for housekeeping; hall, water, &c.; central location. Call at northeast corner Seventh and Vine streets. 7-3t

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—In the West End, two furnished rooms; \$5 per month each. Call or address northeast corner Neave and Storrs street, Twenty-first Ward. 7-3t

BOARDING.

BOARDING—Nice front room, with board, at 178 Plum street. Also, very boarding. 6-3t

BOARDING.

BOARDING—Elegant furnished front rooms with first-class board; a few day boarders; references exchanged. 18 Perry st. 6-3t

the House, R. W. P. Muse, of Kansas, stated that he was elected an Elector and cast his vote. Has resided at Newton, Hardin County, since 1870, but has formerly resided in Zanesville, Ohio. He owns property in Newton and votes there. It was alleged in the case of this witness that he was illegally elected because he was not a legal resident of the State of Kansas.

Jacob Denbender, an Elector of Michigan, stated that he was born in Holland, but was naturalized, and he produced his naturalization papers. It was claimed that he had not been naturalized, and was therefore ineligible.

Louis M. Kenner, of the Louisiana Returning Board, was then recalled and questioned by Mr. Lawrence. He stated that he had no knowledge of any alteration of the returns from Vernon Parish; no knowledge of any paper having been burned or otherwise destroyed; nor did he know of any proposition for receiving money for any act in connection with the Electoral vote, nor abstraction of papers. Was not acquainted with Maddox. Never heard of any conversation between Governor Wells and Littlefield.

Much Better.
National Associated Press to the Star.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Secretary Morrill is much better this afternoon, and his friends have great hopes of his speedy recovery.

NEWS FROM THE METROPOLIS

Lost Steamers.

National Associated Press to the Star.
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The agents of the Cronwell Line of steamers are satisfied that the vessel, George Washington, is a total loss. The vessel and cargo were fully insured, but the agents decline to give the names of the companies.

The steamer George Cronwell, of the same line, is entirely disappeared as she is a month longer out than the Washington, and nothing has been heard of her.

Inter-State Rifle Shooting.

At a meeting yesterday of the National Rifle Association in this city resolutions were adopted inviting riflemen from other States to participate in the Inter-State Rifle Match at Creedmoor at the next fall meeting.

Failure in Hartford.

A special from Hartford, Conn., reports the failure of M. R. Brazos, Agent and Treasurer of the Hartford and New York Towing and Freight Line Co., with liabilities of \$117,000. It is also alleged that he is short in his accounts with the Company to the amount of over \$20,000. The Company is not endangered.

Stock Speculators' Troubles.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The Tribune says there is a story in circulation that Jay Gould has discovered that S. M. Mills & Co., his former confidential brokers, were using their knowledge of his account position in being short of Western Union for a large amount of stock, to form a pool to buy the stock, by which he was forced to cover at a heavy loss, and that consequently he has brought, or is about to bring, suit to recover damages for an alleged conspiracy against him by S. M. Mills & Co. The amount sought to be recovered by the proposed suit is stated at \$300,000.

The Herald alludes to rumors of important law suits of which Keane, of San Francisco, was to be the victim, because in some way he had managed to unload twenty thousand shares of Western Union on the street at 73 1/2c.

Overboard.

The ship Amanta, which arrived yesterday from Calcutta, reports the loss of the carpenter, two seamen, and two apprentices boys, washed overboard in a cyclone.

John O. Mahoney, the well-known Fenian leader, died last evening at his residence in this city. A Buffalo special says John O. Jewett & Son's tin and japanned ware factory was destroyed by fire last night. Loss \$35,000; insured.

THE TRIBUNAL.

Speculations—Nothing More.

National Associated Press to the Star.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The House met at 10 A. M. and immediately took a recess until 12 M.

Upon re-assembling, Mr. Banks, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill to provide for the election of Directors of National Banks. Referred to Banking and Currency Committee.

Mr. Knott, of Kentucky, from the Committee on Powers, Privileges and Duties of the House, reported a resolution authorizing the presenting of testimony thus far taken by the Committee.

Mr. Burdick wanted to say the minority of the Committee did not concur in the proposition presented by Mr. Knott. He thought that the testimony should not be printed as taken, because many of the witnesses had not been cross-examined.

The resolution was adopted. Mr. Walden, of Michigan, from the Committee of Appropriations, reported back the Senate bill making an appropriation of \$250,000 to meet a deficiency in the Bureau of Public Printing for the current fiscal year.

Mr. Vance, of Ohio, offered an amendment, providing that after the adjournment of the present session the Congress Public Printer should not pay more for piece work or for work done by the hour than the average price paid by printing establishments in Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore.

That Fight for Jersey Justice.

National Associated Press to the Star.
TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 7.—The Governor has taken no action in the bill so summarily passed by the House yesterday affecting the Newark murderers. A number of gentlemen waited on the Governor to-day in opposition to the bill, and it is said the Governor will veto it, but will not send it to-day.

It is thought he will hold it five days, which he has in his power to do, and at the expiration of which it will be too late to affect the Oswald and Ryan case, should the bill be passed over the Governor's veto. There is much indignation felt at the attempt to change the law affecting the murderers of an officer of the peace.

Testimony of Electors.

National Associated Press to the Star.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—In the Committee on Powers, Privileges and Duties of

FOREIGN.

National Associated Press to the Star.

STORMS IN INDIA.
LONDON, Feb. 7.—Advices from Bombay report continuous rain storms prevailing in India, which have seriously damaged the cotton crop.

Ice in the Susquehanna.

National Associated Press to the Star.
PERRYVILLE, Md., Feb. 7.—The condition of the river and ice above Port Deposit remains unchanged. At Port Deposit the ice gorged up, as the head of the tide is pretty heavy, and has been forced to the railroad track, standing somewhat higher than the road-bed for half a mile through town. On the east side of the river, the ice is most heavily gorged. At Lapidum there is an opening in the ice which forms a heavy current, running toward the Port Deposit shore. From the effects of the gorge below that place, at present, there appears to be no immediate danger feared by the citizens, unless the gorge that is now held at McCall's Ferry should suddenly break.

LATEST LOCAL.

N. M. FREELAND and H. O. Cook, who were taken before the Superintendent of Police on a charge of being "crooked," were released from custody. There was nothing illegitimate about the men.

BILLY KIRKON, Superintendent of the Water-works, wants the street-cleaners to cease using the fire-plugs, and have plugs put down for their special use. He says the present system of allowing the use of the fire-plugs, does not bring in the money which ought actually be paid by the street-sprinklers.

OFFICER JOHN LOGAN arrested a man named John Schenck, who lives at No. 12 Noble Court street, and turned him over to the Corvigion police, who wanted the man on a charge of having stolen a number of fine bracelets and earrings, valued at about \$200. Logan went over the river to-day to give his testimony before Mayor Atkey.

MRS. HALL, widow of the late Judge James Hall, at one time cashier of the Commercial Bank, and a sister of Larz Anderson, died yesterday at her residence on Mt. Auburn. The deceased was a most estimable lady and well known in the higher circles of society. [Enquirer.]

The lady, who is step-mother to the wife of Mr. Foote, of the Board of Public Works, was seen in the streets to-day hale and hearty.

A Workingman's Ticket.

A convention is to be held in Turner Hall Saturday night for the purpose of nominating candidates for city offices, from Mayor down. The convention is held under the auspices of the Workingmen's party of the United States, and will be attended by all the members in this city.

Sudden Death.

Caroline Patz, a teacher who lived at the corner of Gilbert avenue and McMillan street, was found dead last evening at her home. She was about thirty-six years old, was born in Switzerland, and was a married woman. Coroner Stich was notified, and after impugning a jury adjourned the case until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Illicit Distilleries.

Four illicit distillery establishments were seized by order of the U. S. Marshal for violating the Internal Revenue Laws. The establishments are the following:

J. H. Baumer's, at 28 Water street; Philip King's, at 28 Water street; A. Luck's, at 29 Broadway, and B. E. Kraft & Co.'s, at 18 Broadway. Baumer is under arrest.

Illegal Voting.

The case of James White, who is indicted for illegal voting, is in progress before Judge Swing in the United States Court.

A demurrer was made against the indictment and also a motion to quash it. An argument was made, and the demurrer and motion to quash overruled. A jury was then impaneled and sworn in. The case was called up again this afternoon.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued since our last report:

Dan. Roseboom and Mollie Wycoff. Hiram Jerkes and Alice F. House. H. Drighous and Rosie Krell. Thos. Dugan and Bridget Kelly. George Schroeder and Mary Plake. Geo. M. Turner and Anna B. Benson. Alex. Tatum and Minnie Bodeker. L. E. Ziegler and Helen Washbaugh. Wm. Fagreen and Emma Thullen. Bern. Bruns and Caroline Wittman.

Police Court.

Drunkenness—John Krebs, \$3; Ann Austin, \$5; Mary Lawrence, same.

Disorderly—Emma Ricking, dismissed.

Miscellaneous—Geo. Clark, fugitive, continued; Thomas Wilson, concealed weapons, continued; R. Rothschilde, obstructing sidewalk, continued; Michael Kennedy, loitering, 10 days; Henry Black, fast driving, \$5.

Vagrancy—Aus Hagerty, 10 days; Minnie Sanders, Victoria Smith and Minnie Demand, dismissed.

Pett. Larceny—Maggie Fisher, Joseph Abbott, George Clarke, Charles Rose, continued; Thomas Dillon, dismissed.

Embezzlement—Wm. Biding, 30 days; W. H. Jofferies, continued.

Assault and Battery—Annie Brown, \$10; Joseph Lovejoy, costs.

LOCAL PERSONALS.

Geo. K. Nash, of Columbus, was admitted to practice in the United States Courts.

Mr. Vechel Worthington appeared in the courts yesterday for the first time since his illness.

R. B. Carter, tobaccoist, was married yesterday to a young daughter of Col. C. B. Hunt.

Hon. H. W. Robert, Lieutenant Governor of Iowa, is a Cincinnati, who graduated at the Hughes High School.

Doctor Watts, of Oregon, led the noon

day prayer meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Hall to-day. He will deliver an address to-night on "The Seven Seals."

General Carrington, who is at the Burrett House, will leave to-night for Cleveland and Ashtabula for scientific inquiry as to the late disaster.

Mr. John C. Hendricks, formerly on the local staff of this paper, was married to-day at Holy Trinity Church on West Fifth street, to Miss Carrie H. Windler. A reception will be given this afternoon and evening at his residence, No. 10 Webb street.

Mr. John Leverone, the well-known fruit-dealer of this city, and who is the only one of that name in the United States, is justly indignant that some scoundrel, who was fined in the Police Court, made use of his name. We make the publication to give Mr. Leverone his rights, and to state that he could not have been the party mentioned.

OBITUARY.

Deaths of Two Remarkable Cincinnati Ladies.

Yesterday we mentioned the deaths of two remarkable and well known ladies, Mrs. Sarah Peter and Mrs. Susan Louisa Bowler.

Mrs. Peter was born on the 10th of May, 1800. She was a native of Chillicothe, and was the second child of Gov. Thos. Worthington. At the age of sixteen Sarah Ann was married to Edward King, a lawyer of New York and father of Rufus King.

In 1831 Mr. and Mrs. King came to this city, where her husband formed a partnership with Timothy Kirby and Salmon P. Chase. Four years after Mr. King died. His wife took her two surviving children, Rufus and Thomas, her brother and three nephews to Cambridge, where she lived five years.

She then married Mr. Wm. Peter, an Englishman. The ceremonies took place at Chillicothe, after which they went to Philadelphia.

In 1852 Mr. Peter died. She then came to this city. In 1854 she made her second trip to Rome, and became converted to the Catholic religion.

Her first public step in this city was taking place in the establishment of the Orphan Asylum on Elm street.

Mrs. Peter then was instrumental in getting up the "Ladies' Academy of Art."

Then she remodeled her residence on the corner of Third and Lytle streets, bought the buildings adjoining west, and gave them as a home to the Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis.

After this she aided the Sisters of the Good Shepherd on Bank street, and the branches on Baum street and on Pearl street. She introduced the Sisters of the Sacred Heart and the Little Sisters of the Poor, and finally the Franciscan Brothers at Deloit.

At Rome she made a number of trips to Rome, and was held in high regard by the Pope.

About three weeks ago she stumbled and fell in the chapel at her home, and broke her right arm. She was then taken sick and died yesterday morning at half-past 4 o'clock. The funeral will take place on Friday morning from St. Xavier's Church, and the remains will be interred at St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Mrs. Susan L. Bowler, widow of Robert B. Bowler, and eldest daughter of the late Nathaniel G. Pendleton, died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning at her late home in Clifton from apoplexy. Mrs. Bowler had resided in Clifton for over thirty years, and was fifty-seven years old at the time of her death.

She was one of the chief instruments in founding St. Philip's Episcopal Church in Cumminsville, and was a member of Calvary Church at Clifton. She leaves two sons, Geo. P. and Robert B., and a daughter, Louisa, to mourn her death.

The former of her sons is in New York, but will be here to-day. Robert is in India.

Her funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WALLACE-OVERAKER.

They Waive an Examination.

Sheriff W. Pitt Wallace and Charles Overaker, who are laboring under the serious charge of having impeded the United States Court in its course of justice, and of having aided Charles Young to escape, were arraigned before Commissioner Hooper last evening.

Mr. Randall, attorney for Wallace, asked a continuance on account of the absence of Mr. Logan, an important counsel in the case. The Commissioner refused the request.

The Sheriff and his Chief Deputy then waived an examination. Overaker gave bond in the sum of \$2,500, with Ex-Sheriffs Ziegler and Springer as sureties. Wallace was given till this forenoon to furnish bail.

Sheriff Wallace does not seem to have the luck Overaker has. He was able to obtain but one bondsman up to noon. This is Mr. N. Henderson. Wallace thinks he will secure Mr. Marcus Fechtmeier as the other bondsman.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Business Transacted by the Board This Morning.

The Board met in regular session, all the members present and President Bell in the chair.

The following was adopted:

"Your Committee on Street Repairs report back the resolution authorizing temporary repair of the Pearl street intersection with Eggleston avenue, and recommend that the Sewerage Engineer proceed without delay to make proper drainage at that point, so as to be serviceable when the permanent improvement determined on shall be made, and that under his direction a fill be made between the tracks with broken stone, to make the street safe and passable."

A petition from L. Jones and H. Shields to have part of Price Hill Road vacated was referred to the Engineer.

Resolved, That the Clerk be and is hereby directed to prepare and transmit to Council an ordinance appropriating from the General Fund the sum of \$3,932 70 to the credit of the Street-cleaning Fund in payment for the keeping and shoeing of horses belonging to the several Departments of the City Government."

Adopted.

Superintendent W. Kirtan reported that the hauling and cleaning the mud out of the pipe-trench on Burrett avenue was finished, and that the trench is ready for macadamizing. Referred to the Supervisor of Streets.

A communication from the Superintendent of Police, stating that the sewer

on Blue Rock street had caved in and was in a dangerous condition, was referred to the Engineer.

The report of the Superintendent of the Water-works, Mr. Wm. Kirtan, was submitted.

Eph. Holland Arrested.

A private dispatch just received in this city says that Eph. Holland was to-day arrested in New York on the charge of aiding in illegal voting, and will at once be brought to this city for trial.

ITEMS FOR THE LADIES.

The octogon is going out of vogue. Debeques are shown in small figures. Plain debeques will not be fashionable. Gray is to be the fashionable spring color.

Nets are worn only with morning coiffures. Fashionable coiffures are broader and wider.

The pendant is now the principal part of the brooch. Diagonals will no longer be worn in spring fabrics.

Braid and fringe were never so much in favor as at the present.

Princess ball dresses, with peacock trains, are the style this season.

The most stylish ball dresses are fastened with lacings instead of buttons.

Narrow fur borders are still seen, but they are not so fashionable as broad ones.

Buckles of lophophore feathers are among the bonnet trimmings of this month.

Chenille cords and bands of plush are very stylish new trimmings for hats and bonnets.

The most elegant dresses seen at balls are of stamped velvet and velvet brocade.

Lead-colored plush jackets fitting close to the form are taking the place of seal in Paris.

Pinhead checks of myrtle green and white and navy blue and white appear in the spring goods.

The only thing a woman can never forgive her husband for is giving her nothing to reproach him with.

The latest style of evening gloves are laced, instead of being buttoned, and are finished with small silk tassels.

I can laugh at the man who follows women, but when he comes to following his own wife it is no laughing matter.

Ball dresses are made low-necked, U-necked, or V-necked, or heart-shaped, or square in the neck, according to fancy.

A Wisconsin lumberman offers \$30 in